

Jagai and Madhai 2

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Madhai: What's going on anyway? Hey, Jagai!

Jagai: Hey, Madhai! (They meet and embrace.)

Madhai: Hey, how're you doin'?

Jagai: Hey, man, what are you doing?
(An old blind man with a cane walks by.)

Madhai: Well, I need some money.

Jagai: Women, wine?

Madhai: Hey, he's got some money over there! Blind guys always have money!

Jagai: He's blind!

Madhai: Yeah, he can't see nuthin'!

Jagai: Yeah, why don't we take his money, what to speak of his life?

Madhai: Hey, what's happening with the cane?

Jagai: What's happening, blindsy?

Madhai: You doin' okay?
(Madhai knocks blind man down and Jagai robs him.)

Jagai: Thanks for the donation, blindsy!

Madhai: You want your cane? Here's your cane!
(Madhai hits blind man with the cane.)

Jagai: Have a nice day, sir. Bye!
(They laugh. Blind man runs off.)

Madhai: Hey, you know how much wine we can buy with these?
(He counts the money and examines stolen goods.)

Madhai: Hey, come over here, Jagai, come over here!

Jagai: What do you want?

Madhai: Sit down, sit down, sit down. You and me are goin' to have a little talk!

Jagai: Philosophy?

Madhai: No, gold! Where are we goin' to sell these things?

Jagai: (hallucinating) Oooooohhh, it moved! It moved!! It moved!!!

Madhai: By itself?

Jagai: On it's own.

Madhai: Ha!

Jagai: (to onlookers) What are you looking at? What do you people want? (Jagai charges at onlookers and disperses them.)

Madhai: There's some ghosts in the room, Jagai!

Haridasa: Nityananda Prabhu, just see, why is that crowd forming over there? Let's go see. (They look) Oh, Nityananda Prabhu! This is Jagai and Madhai, they were born in a very elevated Brahmana family!

Madhai: Brahman-swamin!

Jagai: I've got my thread, here ? OMMMMMM,
OMMMMMMMM!

Madhai: Only! Only two pisca! (They try to sell stolen goods.)

Jagai: Only two pisca! Ha ha!

Nityananda: My dear sirs, please, I beg of you, just look at yourselves, you've become so degraded. You're just allowing the Modes of Nature to push you around!

Madhai: (threatening) You ? you ... you want some Modes!?

Nityananda: I beg you humbly to realize that you are not the doers!

Madhai: I am doing it.

Nityananda: Stand up! Chant the Holy Names! Hari! Hari!

Jagai: Listen, Madhai, this is one of those Hare Krsnas!

Madhai: He wants us to chant Hare Krsna!

Both: (mockingly chant) Hare Krsna Hare Krsna Krsna Krsna Hare Hare
Hare Rama Hare Rama Rama Rama Hare Hare

Nityananda: Stop this nonsense! Stand up and chant the Holy Names!

Haridasa: These men are mad, Nityananda Prabhu!

Jagai: Did you hear that? He said we were nonsense!

Madhai: Get up! Let's show them! I'll show You what kind of nonsense we are!

(Jagai and Madhai chase Haridasa Thakur and Nityananda Prabhu.)

Nityananda: Haridasa! Come! Come on, Haridasa!

Madhai: When I get my hands on Them ...

Haridasa: I can't run anymore! I'm getting too old for this kind of thing!

Nityananda: Hide in here, they'll never find us here.

Madhai: Where are they?

Jagai: (tired, panting) You know what Mad? Madhai! Madhai! I'm getting tired of looking for those spooks! I just want to get another (slurp) you know? And one of those, you know? And maybe one of ... you know what I mean?

Madhai: Yeah, maybe you're right!

Jagai: Forget this stuff, let's go!

Madhai: (He knocks over an old person.) Excuse me!

Jagai: Excuse me!

Haridasa: They're gone, Nityananda Prabhu. It's getting awfully late. We

have to report back to Sri caitanya.

Nityananda: We can tell Him of our experiences. If we can come back tomorrow to Jagai and Madhai and do some good, Lord Caitanya's greatness will be known all over! Come on!

SCENE TWO - The Streets of Navadvip

Madhai: Hey, Jagai! Remember those two guys we met yesterday?

Jagai: Oh, I remember Them alright, we really scared Them!

Madhai: (in a funny voice) "Hari Har Har Hari!"

Jagai: And remember the other one: "Bol." (They laugh.)
"Hari Bol!" (They collapse in fit of laughter.)

Madhai: Did you see something go by here? I could have sworn I saw something ... (hallucinating) Yeah, now I see the ghosts clearly, for sure. You know what, Jagai? Life is just meant for eating, drinking and ... and ...

Jagai: And women!

Madhai: And women and sleeping, can't forget about that ...

Jagai: You're right. Just wait a second, I have to go somewhere.

Madhai: Yeah, eating and drinking and sleeping and women.

Jagai: Nature calls, you know.

Madhai: Yeah, that gets me every once in a while. Eating , sleeping .

Jagai: What does carousing mean? Like sleeping?

Madhai: Yeah, well sort of like FUN, you know? Having fun!

Jagai: (fondly) We've been doing this for so long, you know, Madhai? Yeah, well it's like this ... you've got to take the good ...

Jagai: With the bad!

Madhai: Yeah! The good ... with the bad.

Jagai: Hey, Madhai, look, look!

Madhai: What? What?

Jagai: I remember these two guys.

Nityananda: There are those two drunkards, Jagai and Madhai. Let's approach them and try to get them to surrender to Lord Caitanya.

Jagai: They didn't understand what we meant, yesterday!

Nityananda: Please, my kind dear sirs, please stand up and chant the Hare Krsna mantra!

Both: (making fun) Hari Hari Hari! Bol! Ha ha!

Nityananda: Chanting will deliver you from all sinful reactions. Chanting will cleanse your hearts from all the dust accumulated for years!

Jagai: Dust? Dust?

Nityananda: Yes! Stand up and chant! Let Me give you true happiness!

Madhai: Hey, let me give You happiness!

Jagai: Yeah, let us give You something from our hearts!

Madhai: Wait! Jagai; Now, yeah, give it to Him! You got it, yeah, give it to Him!

(Jagai throws a pot at Nityananda Prabhu's head.)

Nityananda: Oh, Krsna!!!

Haridasa: Oh, look at what they have done!

Both: (Laughing) Hari Hari Hari Hari!

Nityananda: I don't mind that you have thrown this pot at Me, I simply implore you to chant the Holy Names of Krsna!

Krsna, Krsna! Please chant, become happy! Free your minds from the Modes of material nature, I implore you!

Jagai: I've got another one here.

Madhai: Wait a second, Jagai. (to Nityananda Prabhu) You don't mind, You

mean, You're not going to become angry or ... or leave or anything. (to Jagai)
Stop what you're doing, Jagai!

Jagai: I'm going to throw another one.

Madhai: You're not going to get angry?

Nityananda: To become angry is just another manifestation of the modes of Nature.

Madhai: Hey, wait a minute! Wait a second! This guy's a saint, Jagai! Stop it! Stop! (They wrestle.)

Haridasa: Lord Caitanya!

(Lord Caitanya appears angrily with His chakra raised to kill Jagai and Madhai.)

Caitanya: I can tolerate any offense to Myself, but I cannot tolerate an offense to My devotees!

(Lord Caitanya charges toward Jagai and Madhai but Nityananda Prabhu restrains Him.)

Both: We're sorry! We'll change! Please spare us!

Nityananda: Please, My dear Lord, please remember, You have come not to kill but to deliver all in this age! Kindly kill only the demoniac principle in them.

Both: Please don't kill us! Please don't kill us!

Nityananda: Kindly remember, My dear Lord, kindly accept them as Your devotees!

Caitanya: Alright, I will spare you, but only if you give up your sinful life.

Jagai: Yes, we will.

Madhai: We will. Thank you.

Caitanya: What are the four rules?

Jagai: No meat eating, no illicit sex, no gambling and no intoxication!

Madhai: No intoxication!

Caitanya: Alright, and always chant the Holy Names of the Lord. And that's the key that will free you from all sinful desires!

Jagai: Yes, we will! Hare Krsna!

Madhai: Yes, Hare Krsna, Hare Krsna, Krsna Krsna!! Thank You!

Jagai: You're very kind.

Caitanya: Now, everyone chant! Hold huge kirtan! From today our Jagai and Madhai have returned to our party! (Kirtan)